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For:	ATTACHABLE SENSOR FOR PUTTING)
	STROKE PATH AND PLANE DETECTION)
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97

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Sir:

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European Patent Application No. EP 0 098 519: The device for ball games and the like, in particular for tennis, comprises several signal transmitters (I to VII), each of which responds to a component of force, which is characteristic of the racket grip or of the sequence of movement of the racket during a stroke, by emitting a signal. The signals emitted by the signal transmitters (I to VII) are analyzed in a processing circuit and processed to form an overall indication which informs the player either acoustically or visually whether the handling of the racket was correct or incorrect during the execution of a stroke cycle.

French Patent No. FR 2 513 752: Appears to disclose a sensor system for use in controlling movement of a tennis racket as depicted in Figures 1-11b.

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)

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